

NSW Health



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### Single Digital Patient Record (SDPR), eHealth NSW

Dear Mr <sup>Gerard</sup> Hayes

Please find attached consultation documents for the proposed change to assign staff allocated to work on the Single Digital Patient Record Program to a new Health Administration Corporation, the Single Digital Patient Record Implementation Authority (SDPRIA).

On 2 May 2024 the creation of the SDPRIA was announced that I would lead as the Chief Executive. The establishment of the SDPRIA will ensure that the governance, financial management, workforce, and clinician engagement are aligned to support the expansive implementation and transformation of the health system. This collaborative approach will ensure that the SDPR is well aligned with the evolving needs of our health system.

Initial staff consultation meetings have been held on 9 September 2024 to inform staff of the proposed changes and to seek their feedback on the proposed changes. Staff have been requested to provide formal feedback by close of business 20 September 2024. It would be appreciated if your organisation and membership could also provide any feedback regarding the proposed structure by close of business 20 September 2024. I look forward to discussing this with the Health Services Union at the next meeting of the Joint Consultative Committee scheduled for 11 September 2024.

eHealth NSW and SDPRIA are committed to consultation with our staff and your organisation and membership on the impacts of this change. If you have any questions, please contact myself or Maria Treminio, HR Business Partner at [maria.treminio@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:maria.treminio@health.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Teresa", written over a horizontal line.

**Dr Teresa Anderson AM**  
Chief Executive  
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Encl.

- Staff Briefing Pack (including proposed organisational charts)
- Change Management Plan
- Frequently Asked Questions